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We are enclosing herewith a copy of the filing receipt for the above-identified patent application.

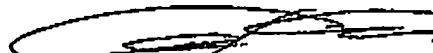
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